

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of : Jose Manuel BUENO HARTO, et al.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Prior to the issuance of an Office Action, please amend the claims as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

At page 1, after the title, starting on line 4, please change to read as follows:

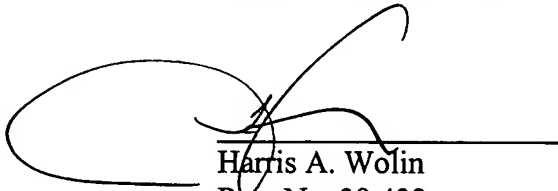
A1 This application is a continuation of International PCT Application No. PCT/ES00/00309
filed on August 4, 2000.

REMARKS

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned **"Version with markings to show changes made."**

Favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,


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